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Application No. 10/730,922-Conf. #6733	Filing Date December 10, 2003	Examiner N. Z. Hindi	Art Unit 2627

Applicant(s): Hajime Yuzurihara et al.

Invention: OPTICAL RECORDING METHOD

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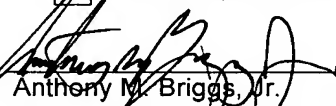
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE  
ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the non-final Office Action dated November 6, 2007, please  
consider the following remarks:

**Listing of Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.